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Response

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-24 are currently pending in the application as set forth in the foregoing listing of claims. Claims 1-5, 7-9, 10-13, 17 and 24 were provisionally rejected on the basis of a non-statutory obviousness-type double patenting in view of a co-pending application Serial No. 10/854,075. Claims 6, 14-16 and 18 were indicated as being allowable if rewritten in independent form.

Attached hereto is a Terminal Disclaimer relating to the above identified co-pending application 10.584,075 that will over come the provisional rejection.

Consequently, in view of the above it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance and notice thereof is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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